WILLS and ADMINISTRATIONS
of
ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY
VIRGINIA

1647 - 1800

BOOK II.

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Only Ap on Land Books

99 Est of Jas Parham 1795
Board of S. Celiah Parham
Susan Parham
Frederick Parham

John Graves Ex and Test Guard for child
Signed Wm Parham and John Graves
Ex by Stith Parham and Thomas Eldridge

F-103 Ref: becca Parham of Albemarle ~~county~~ Parish daughter Amy Herring
daughter of my dead dau Susannah Herring~~ton~~
son William said son Exec.
5-5-1797 5-3-1798
Wit: Robt Jones Hugh Kirkland

459 Lewis Parham of Sussex section 1st page

470 Sarah Parham 11-21-1803
by Robt Jones Nath Chamths blis Joel Atkinson
4-4-1805 17-5-5

471 1803 - pd g same John, Frances and Raines Parham
pd Lewis Parham 51-16-3 other Parhams
named pd unewual q ants. amts Ex by John Trezwart (?)
Signed Thos Travis Robt Jones

474 Ap. praisal Lewis Parham 2-21-1805 by
Littleberry Jennings Samuel Smith
John Cork 5-2-1805

529 Stith Parham - to Sally Harrison Garret and son
to Anna and Mary Winfield if they make Edw Sec a good note to a
tract of land del to them
Son Smith land I bought of my son Thomas
Son Stith daugh Nancy Son John
Son Wm to Edmund and Hill Jones
all my claim to est of Collier Hill - all land
my child - Anne Jones - Wm. Thos and John
Exs - Sons Wm, Thomas and John
1-15-1806 2-6-1806

Theodore Chambliss Nicholas Howard
Drury Green and Ephraim Owen

gurad Bk 446 Sally and Step opphans of
Wm Parham 1782- Ex by Isham Smith
Sterling Harwell Wm Yarbrough 1782

74-148-153-372-432

G-79 Thos Moyler - prop in wit right of ~~urpe~~ wife L. Moyler
1806 - est of Jas. Parham

WILLIAM PARHAM of Nottoway County, Va

Nottoway Will Book I page 296
28 Jan 1794 William Parham of parish of Raleigh in Nottoway
To my son Danial 2 negros. To my son John negro and furniture
To my son William negro and furniture. To my son James 3 negroes.
Daugher Sarah Parham To my daughter Martha Sturdivant To my daughter
Mary daughter Eady Parham. To my daughs Sarah, Mary and Eady
To my sons John, William and James and to my daus Sarah, Martha,
Mary and Eady when my son James reaches 21 To my sons John, Wm all my
land. All rest to my children except Daniel and Martha. Son Daniel &
John excrs. Abner Osborne, Isham Clay Frederick Leonard Pro. Dec 7, 1797 by
John Parham, with Dan'l Sturdivant Luke Pryor & Wm. sec.

Nottoway County Wills - Will Book I

Page 72 Oct 4, 1792. Susannah Parham widow and relict of James Parham, has 1/3 estate of said James dcd. gives unto William Gower Parham, Eliz. Parham, Archer Parham, Ephraim Parham, Christiana Parham, Major Parham, and Rebecca Parham, childern of said James.

Nottoway Will Book 2

Estate of Danl Parham 29 Jan 1803

Cash paid Jim for money lent to help bear expenses of bringing the negroes from Georgia 3 times.

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34 - 38 - 99 - 459 - 470

474 - 529

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34- Will of Anderson Parham to Thos. Parham

Son of Abraham to Polly daughter of Abraham

to Nancy Winfield wife of Ephram Winfield

to Polly Tucker daughter of Robert Tucker decd

to Lucy Parham wife of Abraham - Exs

Daniel Nives and Thomas Parham X

4-10-1797 7-6-1797

Ind Abraham Haddon Abraham Parham

Samuel Nives

38 Ap Hohn Hall Frances Palmer and

Frances Jackson 9-7-1797

F

99 - children of James Parham -

Selah Seesen Frederick

Dec 1785 Anderson Parham married Nancy Parham p-259 [Nottoway ?]

Dec 18, 1834 Wm M Johnston married Ann Eliz. Parham p-328

~~Nottoway Co Wills Book I~~

Same from John Parham. Recorded Jan. 24, 1758.
Wit. William and Frances Parham. Deed Bk. 6, p. 229.

Same to Frances Parham. Same Wit. p. 230.

Same from Abraham Atkinson. Signed Lucracy Atkinson.
Same Wit. Rec. Feb. 28, 1758.. p. 239.

Same from Benjamin Fernando and wife Mary.
Wit. James Thweatt Jr. Absalom Atkinson. p. 239.

I, Benjamin Gofe (or Gose, written with the long a) of the Province of Virginia do agree to take of my brother James Parham the full and just sum of 25 L-7-1 in right of the estate of Benjamin Gofe decd. and Elizabeth Gofe decd. ---release said brother James Parham etc.
March 24, 1758. May 23, 1758.
Wit: William Parham, Nicholas Fennell, Frances Parham
Deed Bk 6, p. 254.

James Parham of Brunswick to son Lewis Parham, a negro named Pate.
Dec 27, 1750.
Wit: Robert Hicks, Charles Williamson Jr. Nathan Hicks
Deed Bk 7, p. 58

James Parham of Brunswick, Meherrin Parish to John Parham a negro named Tibbs. March 5, 1763. Signed with a mark.
Wit: Nathaniel Hicks, Frances Parham. Deed Book 7, p. 252.

James Parham of the county of Brunswick for 120 L to Lewis Parham of Prince George, negroes Peter and Dick
Wit: Robert Hicks Jr and Sr. Zacharius Sims.
Deed Bk 7, page 420.

Same to Charles Duncan of Prince George, Merchant, several negroes as security for 160 L Same Wit. Deed Bk. 7, pa. 421.

May 28, 1764. Ind. bet. Robert Hicks and wife Mary of St. Andrews Parish to James Parham for 100 L a tract of 50 A. on Miery Branch, Hicks Parham Branch.
Wit. Lewis Lanier, Zach. Sims, Lewis Parham. Deed Bk 7, p. 464

May 28, 1764. James Parham and wife Mary of St. Andrews Parish to Robert Hkcks, for 100 L a tract of 150 A. on the Miery Branch, Meherrin Branch and Hicks.
Same Wit. Deed Bk. 7. p. 466.

James Parham of Brunswitk for 89 L to Robert Ruffin of Dinwiddie, negroes Sall, Humphry and Peter.
Wit: Daniel Jackson, William Clack. Deed 8, p. 130.

Sussex County, Va. Will of Ephraim Parham Will Book A page 296-9
In the name of God, Amen I Ephraim Parham of the Parish of Albema county of Sussex being stick of body but in perfect memory do make and this my last Will and testament in the manner and form following, FIRST and principally I command my Soul into the hands of God hoping for free pardon from sins through the merits of my Blessed Saviour Jesus Christ and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my executors hereafter mentioned and as touching the Disposition of such temporal estate I am possessed of I give and bequeath as followeth-

I give and bequeath to my son Nathaniel Parham one tract of parcel of land being in BRUNSWICK COUNTY containing by estimation one hundred and fifty acres on his allowing my beloved wife the use of half of the said tract or parcel of land during her natural life. I also give and bequeath to my son Nathaniel Parham my Negroes Charles, Joe, Mingo, Nan, Dibsey, Kate, Ben, Isham, Dick, Winney and Aggy. I say I bequeath the said negroes to him his heirs and assigns forever.

Item I give devise to my daughter Jane Thweatt the following negroes- James, Judith, Rachel, Lydia, Dick, Hannah, Davey also my will and desire is that my daughter Jane Thweatt have the free use and benefit of my negro boy Stephen during her natural life and at her edecease to be disposed of as she shall think most proper.

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Frances Gee my negroes Ned, Sarah, B--- (torn off) Cain, Dick and Pegg. I say I devise the same to her, her heirs and assigns, forever.

Item, I give and bequeath to my son Wm Parham my plantation whereon I now live together with all my lands and all appurtenances adjoining it after the decease of my beloved wife together with my negroes Janey, George, Peter, Jamey, Davey Ned, and Frank, also I bequeath to my son Wm Parham one negro wench called Annabell three young negroes, children of Annabell, Viz: Lucy,Frank and Patt. I say I devise the same to him and his heirs forever.

Item I give and devise to my daughter Rebecca Parham my negroes Dinah, Ben --- (torn off) Amos, Likewise my negro Wench called Hagar togather with a child of hers called Alice(?) Also negro Boy called Dick. I say I devise the same to her and her heirs forever.

ITEM I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Rebecca Parham my negroes Old Dick, Robin, Simon, Hannah, Little Sarah, Old Nan, Morse, and Tom. I say I bequeath the same to her, her heirs and assigns forever also I give and bequeath to my beloved wife all the remainder of my estate except a parcel of hogs known by the name of the Spotted Gang which I devise to my son Wm Parham. I say I bequeath the same to her, her heirs and assigns forever.

And I hereby appoint my sons Nathanial Parham and Henry Gee Executors and my beloved wife Rebecca Parham executrix of this my last will and testament revoking all others before by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my ahand and affixed my seal this twenty eighth day of March, Anne Domini 1763-
Signed and Sealed in presence of EPHRAIM PARHAM (SEAL)

2.

James Day Ridley
John Cheves
Winney Rieves
At a court held for Sussex county the 15th day of September 1763, the last will and testament of Ephraim Parham deceased, was presented in Court by Henry Gee and Rebecca Parham two of the Executors therein named who made oath according to law and same was proved by the oaths of John Cheves and Winney Rieves two of the witnesses thereto and the court ordered to be recorded and on themmotion of said executors certificate is granted them for obtaining a probate thereof in due form Teste Claiborne C.C.

And at another court held for the said county of Sussex the 19th day of May 1768, the last will and testament of Ephraim Parham deceased, was further proven by the oath of James Day Ridley another witness thereof

WILLS AND ADMINISTRATIONS

of

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

1749 - 1800

BOOK I
1749 - 1775

BOOK I., Abstracts of Southampton County is now ready for release. This County was cut from Isle of Wight in 1749 and picks up the inhabitants, who disappeared from the records of the Mother County in that year. When the Indian Reservations in the section of Isle of Wight, from which the new county was formed were offered for sale, names from all sections of the state appeared in the records of Southampton.

The book is mineographed upon good quality paper, with a heavy paper cover and contains one hundred and fifty two pages, fully indexed.

Among the names listed many times in the Index may be found: Applewhite, Arrington, Atkinson, Bailey, Barham, Barnes, Barrow, Beale, Bennett, Blow, Blunt, Boykin, Browne, Bryan, Butt, Bynum, Calthorpe, Carroll, Cobb, Council, Cosby, Crumpler, Darden, Davis, Dawson, Day, Denson, Drake, Drew, Edwards, Exum, Fort, Foster, Gray, Griffin, Gurley, Harris, Hines, Holleman, Johnson, Jones, Joyner, Kinchen, Lewis, Long, Maggett, Meacom, Myrick, Newsum, Person, Pope, Ridley, Ruffin, Scott, Simmons. Stephenson, Taylor, Thomas, Thorpe, Turner, Vasser, Vick, Washington, Westbrook, Whitehead, Williams, Williamson, Wombwell, Wood, Wright and hundreds more.

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Only Ap. on Land Books

J-457 1-11-1806- John Cruce of Co of Sussex and Wife Lucy to Sudwell Powell of said county for 700 lbs Tract on N.S. Joseph Sho - maybe survey
612-1/2 Acres- etc

L-385 5-16-1814 Lt Sudwill Powerll and wife Eliza of Bk to John Raines Mason for $2,450. at n.e. tract
Wit: Thos W Jones Mary A Jones
Hinchea Parham

A-166 4-12-1756 Wit Nath Green of county of F Bk and Phoebe his wife to Lewis Parham of Co of P Geo. Merchant 300 lbs T. of 440 acres- The said Nath lately lived but now in Tenure of said ~~land~~. Lewis
Nath Parham John Maden Eph Parham
Wm Wyche John Pettway

F- 262 Nath Parham of Sussex for ~~mat/ ne~~ natural and ~~ap~~ affection to Son Lewis negro Isham - Aggy, Dinah, Nan and, Hannah 4-15-1784

I 164 1-1-1798 - Lt John Wilkenson of S~~e~~ussex and Lewis Parham and Geo Randolph of Sussex for 5 shilling -tract in aforesaid county 100 acres on Harry's S.W. - adj. said Lewis P. Bank's line wt. John P and Reb P Pool Wm Parham

No other consid named

J-469 Geo Rand and W.ife Lucy sold for $1.00 th~~e~~ir ~~imt~~ interest to Lewis Parhmm in 1806.

I-528 4-12-1794 - between Ann Parham and Lewis Parham 5 shilling 100 acres on Stephen Parham ~~down~~ dividing line between ~~Absolum~~ Wm and Stephen Parham, Ch Pd Mason Harwell Samuel Gilliam
Wt Samual Gilliam John P Pool
Sarah Tucker no other consid m.

34- 38- 99-103- 459 - 470- 471 474- 529

F-34 Anderson Parham to Thos Parham son of Abraham negro Roger Patt Afgin, Sussex Scort, Cate, Tom, to Polly Parham daughter of Abraham Parham negro Ussey to Patty daug of Abraham Parham negro Silvey, to Nancy Winfield wife of Ephraim Winfield negro Suchey to Polly Tucker daugh of Robt Tucker negro Lucy to Lucy Parham- wife of Abraham Parham - negro Ephram negro Chas. Negro Hartwell to ~~the~~ be set free
Exs - Samuel Newes and Thos Parham
4-10-1797 7-6-1797
Wit: Abraham Haddon Abraham Parham
Samuel Nives

38 Ap by John Hall Sarah Palmer
Sarah Jackson 9-7-1797

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Only Ap on land books

Sees p- 116

Ludwell Powell - Elizabeth Parham
Rec. Lewis Parham 1-3-1805

253 Ludwell L. Powell married Mary E. Ezell

69 Lewis Parham married Elizabeth Chappell
11-21-1792 Rec. James Chappell

107 Lewis Parham married Polly Gibbons
mother Lucy Gibbons 8-2-1802

143 Lewis Parham guard of Rebecca Parham
your said daughter of Nath Parham and yr st Sarah Parham's est. 1805

F-459 Lewis Parham wife Rebecca as long a s she is my widow
estate equally divided between Elizabeth, Wm, Henry, Nicholas, and Charles
Lewis (not 18)

Exs wife Rebecca fds John Potts and Seth Mason
1-7-1805 2-7-1805

Wm Harrison Sr. Thos Potts, Chas X Tian

G-153 Estate of Lewis Parham - Ludwell Powell pd a bill among others listed after doctors bill.

SURRY

1661 - John Leekes receipt to George Jordan for bills put in his hands for benefit of young Rebecca Parham my wife's daughter. Surry Book 1, page 235

3-12-1709 Edward Parham- daughter Phebe, daughter Ann, son Edward plantation on which I now live, son Gower 100 A. whereon Robert Marlow now lives, daughter Elizabeth, daughter Lena; Lewis Green, Jr. to have son Gower, until 20; Thomas Sissons son Edward until 20, also to take care of the rest of my children, Overseers: Thomas Sissons, Ephraim Parham, Lewis Green, Jr. - said 3 executors.
Lewis Green, Sr. John Gilliam, Jr.
3-12-1709 7-5-1709 Surry 1694-1709, page 416.

Appraisial Edward Parham- by Robert and John Hawthorne and James Sammons. 7-4-1710.
Estate account- Edward Parham
Goods delivered to Lewis Green, Jr.
Goods delivered to John Doby
to John and Robert Bolling, executor of Col Robert Bolling
to Major Wynne
to George Pasmore
to William Mallone
to Thomas Raine
to John Lewis
to John Peterson
to Lewis Green, Jr.
to Thomas Sisson
signed Thomas Sisson, Executor by Robert Ruffin and John Simmons. 7-4-1710 Surry 1709-15-16

12-15-1719, between William Jones of Parish of Southwark and William Parrum of Southwark 5 shillings for a tract 230 A. on north side of Notoway Riber (which said T of land was granted to William Parrum by patent October 24, 1701 beginning at the mouth of Monkesneck Creek adjoining Charles Leath. Released for 40 L.
Witnesses: William Browne, Henry Browhe, Richard Blow.
Bond from William Jones to William Parum for 80L
Surry 1715 -30, page 227

How many men named William Parham ? Not arranged chronologica
sons Thomas and William Parham.
In Bristol Parish Register we find that Gower and Archer Parham had son William born July 2, 1736 and daughters Mary and Elizabeth

In same parish we find that Thomas and Mary Parham had a son, William born Sep 22, 1729 also children named Isham and Thomas.

William Parham wills probated in Va. before 1800 -
Brunswick county William 1763 names brothers John and James - no wife and children

William 1780 names wife Hannah - children Nancy Lucas Parham, sons Ephraim and Hinchea, mother Rebecca Parham, son in law (step son?) Abner Hill.
Surry county Inventory of will of William Parham 1733
Sussex County will of William Parham 1775
will of William Parham 1758

Albemarle Parish Register states that Captain William Parham died of the flux May 16, 1775, certified by Peter Randolph. (I have never had an abstract of his will sent me, a photostat can be obtained from Va. State Library for one dollar, also a photostat of will of William Parham 1758 for seventy cents, with five cents added to each for postage)

Va. county records Vol 7 Crozier page 137- land grants in Brunswick- William Parham Sr. in 1726, 145 acres.
Sussex co. Book E-119 Oct 21, 1773- William Parham of Sussex deed of Trust to Wm Mason of county Brunswick for care of father and mother Matthew and Susannah Parham, etc.----
Sussex Co Book A page 108- will of William Parham 15 Dec 1756, Oct 20, 1758, wife Ann: sons Thomas and Stith; executors wife and two sons, etc-----

Will of William Parham probated in Sussex 1818
Wyatt Harper in his will probated 1759 gives to William Parham, Thomas Huson and Joseph Pennington, all the lands he owns in Gloucester Co. He names two children, calling one Frances, underage; wife Ann and brother Edward Harper

William Parham marrked Mary Stevens, daughter of Edward Stevens Sept 18, 1755
surety JOHN MASON

Wm Parham married Naney G. Malone march 28, 1820 - Surety Wm Winfield.

Wm Parham married Mary Coman(?) in Sussex Dec 18, 1787 - Sec. Robt Baily

Wm Parham married Mary Kelley, daughter of John Kelley 7 Oct 1772

Wm Parham married Sally Malone 14 Dec 1815- Sec. George Booth Parham

Wm Parham married Lucy Cross 4 Dec 1806 Sec. John Potts

Wm Parham married Margaret Spain 6 Dec 1790- Sec. Wm. Malone

Wm Parham married Susannah Hunt between Sep 25, 1771 and Oct 10, 1772

Nathaniel Parham married Rebecca, daughter of William Parham 10 Feb 1769

Wm Parham surety 18 Oct 1799 when Thomas Parham married Eliz. Moody

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E-222 Sussex

STITH PARHAM of South Carolina visiting now in Sussex

property
Son Stitch s/p in S.C. Son Nathaniel Anderson Parham Est in Virg.

gr dau Elizabeth daughter of Stitch Ex-Son Nathaniel Anderson

6-5-1793 9-5-1793

Ind. Wm Massenburg, Wm Wynne
Thos. Eldridge

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Mary Parham Will Sussex 1788

Son Bolling Hall

Daughter Polly Dixon Seward

Son Dixon Hall executor

Prince George

Susannah Tillman aged 69 - son Thomas Parram, son George Tillman, son John Tillman, daughter Jane Robinson, daughter Christian Abernathy, grand daughter Mary Bethell, grandson Robert Abernathy - said grandson Executor, November 19, 1716 March 12, 1716
Thomas Gent, Ann Gent, Benjamin Blicke
Prince George Will & Deed Book
page 144

Thomas Parram- Nicholas Robyson 100 acres land which formerly belonged to George Tillman and afterwards to William Hulm to John Tillman 50 acres adjoining George Tillman, to William Pettypool 50 acres, son Thomas, son William plantation whereon I now live, daughter Amy Jones, daughter Eliza Tucker, daughter Feebe, daughter Susannah, daughter Jane, wife Eliza
February 15, 1716/17 May 14, 1717
George Tillman, Robert Abernathy, John Patteson.
Prince George Page 168

Received October 5, 1717 of Lewis Green the sum of 10 shillings full value of 1 acre

SURRY COUNTY RECORDS

Book I. 1652 - 1672.

Page 3. 19 Oct. 1650.-1651. This document, the first part illegible, concerns an Indenture made of service between one Clarke and Richard Bland, merchant, for six years. Clarke stated, before signing, that he had promised Mr. John Bland, in London, he would serve six years and he would be as good as his word. This Indenture was afterward assigned to Mr. Edward Bland, by the said Mr. Richard Bland and it seems had since been lost, or removed from amongst the writings of the said Mr. Edward Bland. As this was lost Clarke was to serve only that customed of the said county having no Indenture. Signed, John Holmewood, Robt. Stanton.

Page 4. Nov. 7, 1652. Mr. John Dibdall did at a Court held in this place volunteer and made in open court a petition signed by himself, Robert Lancashear and seventy others, and John Collier without timely redress to Petition etc.

Page 5. Nov. 7, 1652. In Virginia; The petition of John Dibdall, humbly showeth that Richard Colt, chyrurgeon, having sayed besyde their fear of God hath att divers tymes, to divers persons, vowed ye death of ye petitioner and to have his blood yea his hart blood for ye plaint, hath bound ye sayd Colt to good behaviour... prevented Mr. Simpson, physician, repairing to ye sick wife though att the poynt of death... and disturbs ye peace of ye Commonwealth... Desires that Colt suffer penalty of the Law.

Page 6. July 15, 1652. Thos. Woodhouse and Richard Colt bind themselves on penalty of one hundred thousand pounds of tobacco to be payd unto ye Keepers of ye Liberties of England by Authority of Parliament...
Wit. Ben Sidway, Wm. Thomas. Geo. Jordan
By order of Mr. Ben Sidway.

Richard Colt enjoyned to be upon good behaviour and keep the peace of ye keepers of Liberty of England... John Dibdall, minister, this obligation to stand in full power and vesture. John Corker, Deponent.

Page 6 10 Sept., 1652. This bill bindes Mr. John Hix to pay unto Mr. Brasure, or his assignor in full seven hundred pounds of tobacco and caskes on ye first day of November next, if not enough, made to seize for satisfaction.

Page 7. Coll. Thomas Swann, by himself and his Deputies or Deputers, will execute and perform the Office of High

Sheriff for the County of Surry for the year 1652... to perform the Office of High Sheriff... in full force. Signed Tho: Swann, Geo. Jordan, Ben. Sidway. Sealed and delivered in Presence of, Barth. Kinpe, Sam. Abbott, Robt. Stanton.

Page 8. 9 br 7, 1652. Foulke Jones, planter, receives greetings from William Vaughan, whereas the latter oweth unto Foulke Jones, planter, 600 lbs. of tobacco and caskes, and said Foulke Jones stands indebted to Mr. Walter Chiles for 3000 lbs. of tobacco and casks... Wm. Vaughan binds over to sd Foulke Jones all of his tobacco crop for the year, made on ground belonging to Mr. Carter, Sr. Wit. Thos. Pittman, Sarah Brewster.

Page 9. 9 br. 7, 1652. Daniel Hutton bargained with Thomas Pittman to build him a house "by a certayne tyme", but conditions were altogether neglected, the petition states, and desires damages. Wants jury to inquire how much.

Depositions concerning the building of the house of Daniel Hutton, by Thomas Pittman were made by Chr. Mitchell, aged four and thirty years; by John Hux, aged forty years, and Thomas Woodhouse. Thos. Gray, Jr. also testified. The jury found for the Defendant, and damages set at 20 lbs. of tobacco.

Jurors: Mr. Wm. Cockerham,
Mr. John Spiltimber
Mr. Wm. Carter
Mr. Robt. Dunster
Mr. Jno. Leake
Mr. Jno. Barrow
Mr. Jno. Senior
Mr. Jno. Holmeswoode
Mr. Henry Emlin
Mr. James Mason
Mr. Jno. King
Mr. Jno. Saynes?

Page 12. Capt. Pittman by order from the Governor to send to the Constable these named to make their appearance at James Towne...with their arms fixed. Feb. 1651. They have replyed to
Left. Ludwick.
Jno. Rawlings
Luke Mezel
Chr. Baker
Dan Hutton
Mr. Ross
Roger Hotten
Mr. Hethe
Mr. Barrow

Page 13. 19 Apr.,1652. John Corker deed to Brady and Spiltimber. John Corker, of the County of Surry, gent. for a valuable consideration in hand paid by Jno. Brady and Jno. Spiltimber, sells land lying on the south side of Besse, adjoining Thomas Varringe, his land John Braddie and Jno. Spiltimber... day of Aug, 1652. Wit. Robt. Spenser.

Page 13. 19 Apr. 1652. Deposition of Wm. Murrell, aged 40 years, of thereabouts, that coming from the river he asked Heiward whether he intended to stay at Mr. Ogbournes.

Page 14. 5 br, 1652. Deposition of Thomas Cutler, aged 25

BOOK II.

THE GREAT BOOK.

Pierce, Ann: Of the Lower Parish. Leg.- John Keighly, the plantation on which I live for seven years, at expiration of time, I give it to John Teasley's son John; to Patience Carver; my movable estate to John Keighly.
D. March 14, 1718/19. R. June 22, 1719.
Wit. John Teasley, Thomas Altman, Peter Davis.
Page I.

West, Francis. Inventory, signed by John Gilliam.
D. January 10, 1718. Page I.

Ridley, Nathaniel: Leg.- beloved wife Elizabeth; son Nathaniel; daughter Mary; son Thomas land adjoining Anthony Quant; daughter Elizabeth; daughter Lydia; Godson, Robert Hodges. Wife Extx.
D. March 10, 1718/19 R. July 27, 1719
Wit. James Day, Julia Day, Roger Hodges. Page 2.

West, William: Leg.-son Thomas; daughter Sarah, if she marries Samuel Williams; my son-in-law John Williams; daughter Elizabeth; daughter Mary; daughter Ann.
D. May 4, 1719 R. July 28, 1719.
Wit. Richard Price, Joseph Goden (Godwin) Page 3.

Howell, Thomas: Leg.-son Thomas the tract of land lying upon Blunt's Creek, which I bought of Samuel Godwin, Jr.; son William; daughter Sarah; wife Rebecak.
Wife, Extx.
D. March 16, 1718/19 R. August 24, 1719.
Wit. John Dawson, Joseph Bradshaw, John Lucas.
Page 4.

Bevan, Mary: Of Newport Parish. Leg.-son Thomas; son Peter; daughter Mary; daughter Elizabeth. Ex., son Thomas.
D. March 2, 1718/19 R. August 24, 1719.
Wit. William Taylor, Jeremiah Proctor. Page 4.

Darden, Jacob. Inventory, signed by Ann Darden and Jacob Darden. 28th of 7ber 1719. Page 5.

Holladay, Anthony: Appraisal by Henry Pitt, George

WILL BOOK 3.

Green, Thomas. Appraised by Richard Wilkinson, Arthur Benn, Robert Richards, Jr. Signed Mary Green. Ordered May 23, 1726. R. June 27, 1726. Page 1.

Day, Captain James. Appraised by Henry Applewhaite, Joseph Godwin, Thomas Applewhaite. Signed, Ann Day. Ordered April 13, 1726. R. July 25, 1726. Page 2.

Richards, Thomas : Leg.-son Thomas; daughter Ann; daughter Prudence. Ex., brother Robert Richards, Jr.
D. February 23, 1725/26 R. July 25, 1726.
Wit. Robert Richards, Jr., Edward Driver. Page 6.

Thomas, John. Appraised by Francis Williamson, John Johnson, Joseph Price. Signed, Joseph Weston. Ordered June 8, 1726 R. July 25, 1726 Page 6.

Copeland, Joseph: Leg.- wife Mary; son John; daughter Elizabeth; son Thomas. Wife, Extx.
D. February 28, 1725/26 R.
Wit. Richard Webb, John Lupo, Melchizideck Inslie (?). Page 8.

Bidgood, John, Jr.: Leg.-wife Ann; daughter Mary; son William; son John; son James; son Josiah; (all under eighteen) Wife Extx.
D. March 18, 1715 R. August 22, 1726
Wit. Joseph Copeland, Thomas Wrenn. Page 9.

Copeland, Joseph. Appraised by Samuel Davis, Thomas Murry, Benjamin Hodges. R. August 22, 1726. Page 10.

Grifing (Griffin), Robert. Appraised by John Hodges, Philip Wheadon, Benjamin Hodges, Henry White.
R. June 26, 1727. Page 11.

Grifin (Griffin), Andrew: Leg.-son Ephenetus, 300 acres upon the Black Creek; son Mathew 300 acres on the Blackwater. Wife Mary, Extx.
D. June 20, 1726 R. September 26, 1726.
Wit. Thomas Joyner, William Jones. Page 11.

Bidgood, John. Appraised by Elias Hodges, John Miller, Peter Woodward, Thomas Murry.
R. October 24, 1726. Signed Ann Bidgood. Page 12.

Williams, Richard. Appraised at the house of Joseph Hall, by John Hurst, Joseph Wright, John Wright, Michael Fulgham. Ordered September 27, 1726.
R. October 24, 1726. Page 12.

Prime, John: Leg.-wife Martha, reversion of bequest at her death to my nephew Thomas Wright; to nephew Robert Ruffin. Wife, Extx.
Wit. Joseph Chapman, John Screws, Edward Crocker.
D. March 4, 1717/18 R. November 28, 1726.
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Day, Ann: Leg.-brother Joseph Allen; brother Arthur Allen; sister Elizabeth Allen; cousin Mary Bridger; cousin James Bridger; Ann Burnett; Mary Bridger; Katherine Allen; James Allen; sister Elizabeth Bridger; brother William Bridger, my diamond ring that was Thomas Day's; Helena Worden (?); brother John Allen; John Worden, Jr.; Exs., brothers Arthur and Joseph Allen.
D. December 2, 1726 R. January 23, 1726.
Wit. Roger Delk, John Bruce, Mourning Thomas
Page 14.

Council, Hodges: Leg.-wife Rebecca; son John; son Hodges; son James; daughter Sarah. Wife, Extx.
D. October 8, 1720 R. January 23, 1726
Wit. William Daughtry, John Daughtry, Robert Wilkins
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Stevenson, John: Leg.-son John; son Abraham; son Thomas; son Charles; son George; daughter Mary; son William. Wife Elizabeth, Extx.
D. November 23, 1727 R. February 27, 1727
Wit. Thomas Flowers, Abraham Baggett. Page 16.

Everitt, Simon: Of the Lower Parish. Leg.-son

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Webb, Richard. Account estate, examined by Edward Goodrich and William Harrison. R. September 14, 1752
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Burt, John. Estate appraised by Benjamin Beal, John Garner, Godfrey Powell. Signed, Sarah Burt.
Ordered, August 6, 1752 R. September 14, 1752
Page 2.

Pope, John, Sr.: Leg.-son John; grandson Joseph, the plantation on which his father William Pope lived; daugh-Mary Beal. Extx., daughter Priscilla Pope.
D. March 1, 1750 R. September 14, 1752
Wit. John Eley, Ratcliff Boone, Jr., Sarah Eley.
Page 3.

Allen, Joseph. Account estate, examined by Joseph Gray, Thomas Jarrell, Howell Edmunds. Signed Mary Buthe. Among items, a negro in the possession of William Bynum, guardian to the heir at law. R. May 15, 1752
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Pope, John. Estate appraised by Ratcliff Boone, Jr., Henry Johnson, John Stephens. Signed, Priscilla Pope.
R. October 5, 1752 Page 6.

West, Richard. Account estate, examined by Thomas Gale, Charles Fulgham, Richard Reynolds.
R. October 5, 1752 Page 7.

Driver, Edward. Estate appraised by David Williams, James Frizzell, Nicholas Parker. Signed, Ann Driver.
Ordered, June 4, 1752 R. October 5, 1752
Page 8.

Bracey, Elizabeth. Estate appraised by John Baldwin, John Murfrey, John Garner. Signed, Mathew Jordan.
R. October 5, 1752 Page 10.

Day, Thomas. Codicil to his will presented by Benjamin Cocke, with a survey of his land. Bequest to his wife to

D. August 26, 1747 R. August 6, 1752
Wit. William Ponsonby, Joseph Hill, Robert Tynes.
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Willis, Doctor Thomas. Estate appraised by Nicholas Parker, Anthony Fulgham, Charles Fulgham. Signed, Martha Willis. R. August 6, 1752 Page 447.

Bridger, Joseph, Jr. Estate appraised by Richard Reynolds, Thomas Miller, Joseph Norsworthy. Ordered, June 4, 1752. R. August 6, 1752 Page 449.

Exum, Mary: Leg.-son Francis; daughter Elizabeth Smith; daughter Olive Williamson; daughter Ann Williamson.. Daughter Mary Exum, Extx.
D. June 1, 1749 R. August 6, 1752
Wit. James Sampson Clark, Samuel Cornwell,
Jordan Thomas. Page 451.

Gross, Francis. Account estate, examined by Richard Reynolds, Jonathan Godwin, John Godwin.
R. August 6, 1752 Page 453.

Daughtry, William Estate appraised by James Bryant, Jacob Butler, John Lawrence. R. August 6, 1752
Page 455.

Brasey, Elizabeth: Leg.-cousin Henry Wiggs; cousin John Wiggs; cousin Mary Everitt; grandson Richard Jordan; grandson Mathew Jordan; granddaughter Hannah Jordan;
daughter Mary Jordan; son Francis; granddaughter Mary Outland, my estate in the hands of John Outland; daughter Elizabeth Outland.
Exs., Mathew Jordan and Francis Bracey.
D. July 23, 1751 R. August 6, 1752
Wit. Thomas Gale, Charles Chesnutt, Godfrey Powell.
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Ward, Benjamin. Account estate, examined by Jordan Thomas and Charles Fulgham. Signed, Sarah Ward.
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Westray, Edward. Appraised by Robert Johnson, John Morris, Arthur Turner. Signed, John Westray. R. March 6, 1760 Page 2

Wrench, John. Appraised by James Jordan, Willis Wilkinson, Horatio Durley. Signed, Elizabeth Wrench. R. March 6, 1760 Page 4.

Jones, James. Account estate,-to balance paid the heirs of the estate of John Wrench; widow's dower; paid, James, Thomas and Jonathan Jones; cash paid John Wrench; cash paid Samuel Farmer Wrench. Signed, Elizabeth Jones. Examined by James Jordan, Willis Wilkinson, Horatio Durley. R. March 6, 1760 Page 4.

Jones, Elizabeth. Account estate,- paid John Wrench, his father's estate. Signed, John Wrench. Examined by James Jordan, Willis Wilkinson, Horatio Durley. R. March 6, 1760 Page 5.

Gale, Thomas. Appraised by William Pass, John Murphy, Jr., George Hall. Signed, John Marshall. D. February 7, 1760. R. April 3, 1760 Page 6.

Westray, Hardy: Leg.-Aunt Patience Westray; brother Fulgham Westray; Sarah Fulgham and Mary Westray. Extx., Patience Westray.
D. Febraury 5, 1760 R. April 3, 1760
Wit. Edmund Westray, Benjamin Westray, Alice Westray.
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Baker, Lawrence, of the Parish of Newport. Leg.- daughter Katherine; son Richard, land in Isle of Wight and Surry Counties; daughter Ann Nelson; son James Baker (if

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Ex. Howell Edmunds.
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Wit. David Edmunds Sr., David Edmunds, Jr.,
Benjamin Turner Page 145

IVY, Henry. Account estate. 1774
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Exs. Henry Ivy and Robert Ivy
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BYNUM, Elizabeth. Account Current. Ex., John Wilkinson. Paid the heirs of William Bynum as per account, returned by Elizabeth Bynum.
Audited by John Thomas Blow and John Crafford.
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HARRISON, Samuel. Parish of St. Luke. Leg.- wife Amima; son Joseph; son William when twenty one; to my

children Olive, Rebecca, Elizabeth, Anne, Joseph, Charlotte, Solomon, Harmon, Hannah Richardson and Mary.
Ex., Edward Lundy and Joshua Nicholson.
D. March 19, 1775 R. May 9, 1776
Wit. James Lundy Jr., Moses Harris, Joel Atkinson, William Morgan Page 149

Vasser, Lydia. Parish of St. Luke. Leg.- son Jesse land purchased of Nicholas Gurley, when of age; daughter Anne; daughter Mary; daughter Elizabeth; daughter Margaret.
Ex., son-in-law Robert Carr.
D. Oct. 10, 1773 May 9, 1776
Wit. George Gurley, Abraham Mitchell, William Edwards.
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TAYLOR, Lucy. Leg.- daughter Mary Mason Taylor; daughter Martha; son Robert; daughter Ann Brown.
Exs. brother-in-law Henry Taylor, son-in-law William Brown
D. April 5, 1776 R. July 11, 1776
Wit. Temperance Taylor, Henry Taylor. Page 151

RIDLEY, Nathaniel. Leg.- wife Sarah; son Mathew when of age, reversion to nephew Nathaniel the son of Day Ridley; negroes to be divided among the children of Day Ridley, his son Nathaniel excepted, Ann Holliday and Pamelia Coffield.
Exs., wife Sarah and brothers Day and Thomas Ridley.
D. Jan. 7, 1776 R. July 11, 1776
Wit. Jeremiah Drew, Faith Lane, James Ridley.
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GLOVER, George. May 29, 1776. Estate appraised by John Crenshaw, James Story, Philemon Hatfield.
R. July 11, 1776 Page 153

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DAY, Edmund. July 19, 1776 Estate appraised by

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R. Feb. 13, 1783 Page I

WILLIAMS, William. Leg.- wife Sarah; son Jacob land on Blunt's Swamp, Barrow's Road and Thomas' Swamp; son Kinchen, land adjoining Isaac Pope; son Elisha; daughter Rhoda
Exs., friends Samuel Edmunds and Thomas Vaughan.
D. Dec. 1, 1782 R. Feb. 13, 1783
Wit. Richard Deloach, Mathew Underwood, Thomas Edmunds.
Page I

DAY, Edmund. Of the Parish of St. Luke. Leg.- wife; son Abner, land at his grandfather's decease, and I wish him bound to a house carpenter; son John the land bought of Faircloth and he is to be kept at an Academy until he is twenty one; sister Susanna Day.
Exs., friends Thomas Edmunds and William Whitehead.
D. Dec. 12, 1782 R. Feb. 13, 1783
Wit. William Wester, Christopher Bromadge, Asa Street
Page 3

DAY, Edmund. Estate appraised by Nathan Harris, Samuel Edmunds and Nathan Barnes. R. April 10, 1783
Page 4

DRAKE, Thomas. A deed is to be made to Jordan Denson for fifty acres, which he has paid for, adjoining Absalom and Lewis Joyner and the said Denson's land on which Timothy Drake now lives and I direct that Absalom Joyner is to run the dividing line; wife Sarah; daughter Mary; daughter Celia Joyner; grandson Joseph Joyner is to have an education suitable to his station in life.
Exs., wife Sarah and son-in-law Absalom Joyner.
D. March 6, 1783 R. April 10, 1783 Jr.
Wit. Lewis Joyner, Sr., Lewis Joyner, Jr., Joseph Denson,
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MOODY, Philip. Leg.- son Samuel land purchased of William Barnes; son West; daughter Elizabeth; among all my children.
Exs., friends John Andrews, Josiah Vick; Stephen Johnson, Jordan Denson.

Thomas Turner and Simon Harris. R. Nov. 14, 1782
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HARRIS, Mary. Inventory. Signed Drewry Harris.
R. Dec. 12, 1782 Page 443

BEEL, Sarah. Leg.- unbaptised daughter, whom I desire to be called Sallie; with reversion of bequest to Henry Doles and brother Burwell Beel.
Ex., friend Henry Doles.
D. Nov. 27, 1782 R. Dec. 12, 1782
Wit. Robert Washington, Elizabeth Williams,
Annais Randolph Page 443

BRACEY, Francis. Signed Frances Bracey. March 1782
Paid Mary Bracy her part; paid Patience Bracy; paid James Wright for his wife Mary; paid Elizabeth Cobb; Paid Ann Bracy; paid Meriam Bracy; paid my own proportion; to balance in my hands, belonging to Sarah Bracy.
Audited by Lewis Joyner and Joseph Mountfort.
R. Dec. 12, 1782 Page 444

IVY, John. Leg.- wife Elizabeth; daughter Priscilla Bullock; son James land on the Great Ploughman's Swamp, marked by my neighbors, Thomas and Edward Pate, on the line which divides my land from John Reese and Ambrose Grizzard; son John; son Davy; daughter Anne Morgan; daughter Rebecca Ivy
Ex. friend, Joshua Nicholson.
D. March 4, 1780 R. April 12, 1781
Wit. Thomas Pate, Edward Pate, William Pate Page 445

TURNER, William. Account estate. Signed, Ben. Turner
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Audited by John Taylor, Thomas Ridley and Mark Nicholson
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EDWARDS, William. Estate appraised by William Fowler, Kinchen Edwards and Seymore Vaughan. Signed by William Edwards and Janes Edwards.
D. May 27, 1797 R. Aug. 21, 1797 Page 837

APPLEWHITE, Thomas. Estate appraisal. Appraisers not recorded. R. July 10, 1788 Page 839

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HARRIS, West. Account current. Signed Henry Thorpe, surviving Ex. Audited by Jamws Lundy and John Williamson. D. March 1797 R. Aug. 21, 1797
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MILTON, Elisha. Leg.- granddaughter Patsey Milton, daughter of Ann Milton, the deed to be made her by Mr. Eth^{d} Taylor; to my three children, Leah, Randolph and Ann Milton
Exs., friends Arthur Turner and Benjamin Barham, Jr.
D. Dec. 1, 1788 R. Aug. 21, 1797
Wit. Eth^{d}. Taylor, William Rose, William Jarrell
Page 2

ADAMS, Benjamin. Account current. Signed Joseph Prince, Ex. Audited by Thomas Peete and John Applewhite
D. 1795 R. Aug. 21, 1797 Page 3.

EDMUNDS, Ann. Leg.- Mary Edmunds Dawson; Rebekah Turner; my three granddaughters Sall Simmons, Jane Edmunds Dawson, (3 ?); great granddaughter Ann Northington Turner; said Ann dies without issue reversion to the children of Edmund Turner; reversion of Jane Edmund's request to Sally Simmons' children.
Ex. Edmund Turner.
D. Oct. 51, 1791 R. Aug 21, 1797
Wit. Willie Francis, John Francis, Mary Smith
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